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CALENDAR LISTING: General casting call by the Film School at Watkins College of Art, Design & Film for Spring 2014 student film productions, **Saturday, February 8**, on the campus at 2298 Rosa L. Parks Blvd., in Metro Center. See Watkins.edu/auditions for schedule of times and breakdowns.

Watkins Sets February 8 Casting Call for Film School Productions

Nashville, TN (January 21, 2014) – Watkins College of Art, Design & Film will hold a general casting call for Spring 2014 student film projects on **Saturday, February 8**, at the Watkins campus in Metro Center. Directors of more than 20 Film School productions will be looking for actors of all ages. Student films are being made under the SAG/AFTRA student film agreement and therefore all current union members are allowed to participate. Actors are asked to bring headshots and résumés.

Auditions will consist of cold readings from the script (with on-camera readings at the discretion of each director). Casting breakdowns and proposed shoot dates (usually over a 3-day/Friday–Sunday period) will be posted to **Watkins.edu/auditions** as available and distributed on site.

Audition slots will be divided according to gender and age throughout the day (10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.); individual appointments are not available.

- 10 to 11 a.m. – Leading men, age range 19-40
- 11 a.m. to noon – Leading and character men, age range 40 and up
- Noon to 1 p.m. – Leading women, age range 19-40
- 1 to 2 p.m. – Leading and character women, age range 40 and up
- 3 to 4:30 p.m. – Children and youth, age range 8-18

Visit Watkins.edu/auditions for more information or email auditions@watkins.edu. Watkins is located at 2298 Rosa L. Parks Boulevard in Metro Center (across from the Looby). Free parking is available in the campus lot.

All cast members will be invited to a screening of projects at the end of the semester and will have access to an online copy of the film and a quick-time file (without music) to cut into a reel.

Watkins College of Art, Design & Film is a four-year baccalaureate college offering a Bachelor of Fine Arts in Film, Fine Art, Graphic Design, Interior Design and Photography, a Bachelor of Arts in Art, and Certificates in Film and in Interior Design. The faculty and staff are committed to a learning-centered environment that challenges students to engage the mind, train the eye and cultivate talent and skill into an active realization of creative potential. Established in 1885 as a community-based learning institution, Watkins became a baccalaureate college in 1997. It continues to shape and positively influence the cultural horizon and economy of our community through art, design and film instruction in an academic setting, as well as through the Community Education program for youth, teens and adults. Watkins is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC), National Association of Schools of Art and Design (NASAD), and Council for Interior Design Accreditation (CIDA). Visit Watkins.edu.

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